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# PREVALENCE OF DISEASE.

No health department, State or local, can effectively prevent or control disease without knowledge of when, where, and under what conditions cases are occurring.

## IN CERTAIN STATES AND CITIES.

### SMALLPOX.

#### Maryland—Westernport.

The State department of health of Maryland reported by telegraph November 8, 1913, that one new case of smallpox had been notified at Westernport, Allegany County, Md.

#### New York—Niagara Falls.

Acting Asst. Surg. Bingham, of the Public Health Service, reported by telegraph that during the week ended November 8, 1913, 4 new cases of smallpox had been notified in Niagara Falls, N. Y.

#### Miscellaneous State Reports.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Arizona (Oct. 1-31): County— Maricopa.....	1	.....	Illinois (Sept. 1-30)—Contd. Counties—Continued. Monroe.....	1	.....
Colorado (Oct. 1-31): Counties— Larimer.....	1	.....	Piatt.....	1	.....
Morgan.....	2	.....	Rock Island.....	4	.....
Otero.....	20	.....	Stephenson.....	1	.....
Pueblo.....	1	.....	Will.....	3	.....
Total.....	24	.....	Whiteside.....	1	.....
			Total.....	30	.....
Illinois (Sept. 1-30): Counties— Cook.....	3	.....	Oregon (Sept. 1-30): Counties— Gillian.....	11	.....
Davitt.....	1	.....	Lane.....	2	.....
Grundy.....	7	.....	Wasco.....	2	.....
Jo Daviess.....	3	.....	Total.....	15	.....
Madison.....	5	.....	Pennsylvania <sup>1</sup> (Aug. 1-31).....	1	.....

<sup>1</sup> Cases not reported.

#### City Reports for Week Ended Oct. 25, 1913.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Butte, Mont.....	1	.....	Marinette, Wis.....	3	.....
Chattanooga, Tenn.....	2	.....	Milwaukee, Wis.....	2	.....
Chicago, Ill.....	1	.....	Reading, Pa.....	3	.....
Kansas City, Kans.....	1	.....	Spokane, Wash.....	2	.....
Lexington, Ky.....	1	.....	Toledo, Ohio.....	2	.....
Los Angeles, Cal.....	2	.....	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.....	1	.....

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## TYPHOID FEVER.

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Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Altoona, Pa.	2		Massillon, Ohio	1	
Atlantic City, N. J.	1		Milwaukee, Wis.	3	1
Austin, Tex.	1		Nashville, Tenn.	2	
Baltimore, Md.	15	6	Newark, N. J.	8	
Beaver Falls, Pa.	2		New Bedford, Mass.	6	
Boston, Mass.	17	4	Newburyport, Mass.	2	
Braddock, Pa.	1		New Castle, Pa.	1	1
Bridgeport, Conn.	2		New Orleans, La.	2	1
Brookline, Mass.	1		Oakland, Cal.	8	
Cambridge, Mass.	2		Palo Alto, Cal.	1	
Camden, N. J.	3		Philadelphia, Pa.	33	2
Chattanooga, Tenn.	2		Pittsburgh, Pa.	1	2
Chicago, Ill.	64	7	Plainfield, N. J.	1	
Chicopee, Mass.	3		Pottstown, Pa.	1	
Cincinnati, Ohio.	1		Providence, R. I.	11	
Cleveland, Ohio.	8	1	Reading, Pa.	17	1
Coffeyville, Kans.	2		Richmond, Va.	3	
Columbus, Ind.			Roanoke, Va.	1	
Cumberland, Md.	4		Sacramento, Cal.	4	1
Dayton, Ohio.	1	1	Saginaw, Mich.	4	
Dunkirk, N. Y.	2		St. Louis, Mo.	10	2
Elmira, N. Y.	3		San Diego, Cal.	1	
Erie, Pa.	3		San Francisco, Cal.	15	2
Evansville, Ind.	5	2	Schenectady, N. Y.	5	
Fair River, Mass.	3	1	Seattle, Wash.	5	1
Harrisburg, Pa.			South Bend, Ind.	3	
Harrison, N. J.	2		South Bethlehem, Pa.	1	
Hartford, Conn.	2	1	Spokane, Wash.	1	
Haverhill, Mass.	1		Springfield, Ill.	2	1
Jersey City, N. J.			Toledo, Ohio.	15	2
Johnstown, Pa.	1	1	Trenton, N. J.	1	
Kalamazoo, Mich.			Washington, D. C.	9	3
Kansas City, Kans.	1		Wheeling, W. Va.	2	1
La Crosse, Wis.	2		Wilmington, N. C.	2	1
Little Rock, Ark.	6		Yonkers, N. Y.		1
Los Angeles, Cal.	11	2	York, Pa.	3	
Lowell, Mass.	1	1			
Lynn, Mass.	1				

## CEREBROSPINAL MENINGITIS.

## City Reports for Week Ended Oct. 25, 1913.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Binghamton, N. Y.	1		Milwaukee, Wis.	1	1
Boston, Mass.	2		Nashville, Tenn.	1	
Chicago, Ill.	2	2	Newark, N. J.	1	
Cleveland, Ohio.			New Orleans, La.		1
Dayton, Ohio.	2		Philadelphia, Pa.	1	1
Hartford, Conn.	1		Saginaw, Mich.		1
Los Angeles, Cal.	3	1	St. Louis, Mo.	1	
Malden, Mass.			Springfield, Ill.		2
Manchester, N. H.	1	1	Taunton, Mass.	1	1

## POLIOMYELITIS (INFANTILE PARALYSIS).

## City Reports for Week Ended Oct. 25, 1913.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Brockton, Mass.	1		New Bedford, Mass.	1	
Cambridge, Mass.	1		Philadelphia, Pa.	1	
Chicago, Ill.	2		Pittsburgh, Pa.	3	
Cleveland, Ohio.	1		Plainfield, N. J.	1	
Erie, Pa.	1		Richmond, Va.	1	
Haverhill, Mass.	1		Schenectady, N. Y.	2	
Kansas City, Kans.	2		South Bend, Ind.	1	1
La Crosse, Wis.	1		Worcester, Mass.	4	2
Los Angeles, Cal.	1				

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**ERYSIPelas.****City Reports for Week Ended Oct. 25, 1913.**

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Chicago, Ill.....	6	.....	Pittsburgh, Pa.....	2	.....
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	2	.....	Reading, Pa.....	1	.....
Cleveland, Ohio.....	2	.....	Richmond, Va.....	.....	1
Los Angeles, Cal.....	1	.....	Sacramento, Cal.....	1	.....
Milwaukee, Wis.....	1	.....	St. Louis, Mo.....	4	.....
Philadelphia, Pa.....	3	2	Seattle, Wash.....	1	.....

**LEPROSY.****California—Los Angeles.**

Senior Surg. Brooks, of the Public Health Service, reported, by telegraph, that during the week ended November 8, 1913, 1 case of leprosy had been notified in Los Angeles, Cal.

**PELLAGRA.****City Reports for Week Ended Oct. 25, 1913.**

During the week ended October 25, 1913, pellagra was reported by cities as follows: Baltimore, Md., 1 death; Nashville, Tenn., 2 cases.

**PLAQUE.****Rats Collected and Examined.**

Places.	Week ended—	Found dead.	Total collected.	Examined.	Found infected.
California: Cities—					
Oakland.....	Oct. 18, 1913	26	680	457	.....
Berkeley.....	do.....	4	168	108	.....
San Francisco.....	do.....	13	1,747	1,242	.....

Rats taken from steamships: Persia, 9; O. M. Kellogg, 8; total, 17.

**California—Squirrels Collected and Examined.**

During the week ended October 18, 1913, 17 ground squirrels from Alameda County and 5 from Contra Costa County were examined for plague infection. No plague-infected squirrel was found.

**PNEUMONIA.****City Reports for Week Ended Oct. 25, 1913.**

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Binghamton, N. Y.....	2	2	Los Angeles, Cal.....	14	8
Braddock, Pa.....	1	.....	Manchester, N. H.....	2	2
Chicago, Ill.....	56	39	Newport, Ky.....	2	2
Cleveland, Ohio.....	12	10	Philadelphia, Pa.....	9	35
Dunkirk, N. Y.....	1	1	Pittsburgh, Pa.....	20	33
Galesburg, Ill.....	1	1	Reading, Pa.....	2	3
Kalamazoo, Mich.....	3	3	Schenectady, N. Y.....	3	1

**RABIES.****California—Berkeley and Oakland—Rabies in Animals.**

Surg. Long, of the Public Health Service, reported by telegraph that during the week ended November 8, 1913, 1 case of rabies in dogs had been reported in Berkeley, and 3 cases in Oakland, Cal.

**TETANUS.****City Reports for Week Ended October 25, 1913.**

During the week ended October 25, 1913, tetanus was reported by cities as follows: New Bedford, Mass., 1 case with 1 death; St. Louis, Mo., 1 case.

**SCARLET FEVER, MEASLES, DIPHTHERIA, AND TUBERCULOSIS.****Alaska—Afognak Island—Measles.**

Passed Asst. Surg. Krulish, of the Public Health Service, reported by telegraph, November 10, 1913, that 150 cases of measles, with 10 deaths, had been reported from Afognak Island, Alaska.

**City Reports for Week Ended Oct. 25, 1913.**

Cities.	Population, United States census 1910.	Total deaths from all causes.	Diphtheria.		Measles.		Scarlet fever.		Tuber- culosis.	
			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
<b>Over 500,000 inhabitants:</b>										
Baltimore, Md.	558,485	185	54	1	12	—	15	—	25	14
Boston, Mass.	670,585	194	45	—	—	—	28	1	52	22
Chicago, Ill.	2,185,283	556	172	16	9	—	57	5	165	69
Cleveland, Ohio	560,663	183	109	6	10	—	17	3	17	17
Philadelphia, Pa.	1,549,008	436	56	2	13	—	48	3	86	46
Pittsburgh, Pa.	533,905	138	62	8	6	—	71	3	32	9
St. Louis, Mo.	687,029	218	64	5	10	—	13	—	29	22
<b>From 300,000 to 500,000 inhabitants:</b>										
Cincinnati, Ohio	364,463	103	19	1	1	—	14	—	21	11
Los Angeles, Cal.	319,198	107	12	2	1	—	8	—	21	17
Milwaukee, Wis.	373,857	93	20	—	1	—	11	—	10	6
Newark, N. J.	347,469	105	31	1	24	—	24	1	26	15
New Orleans, La.	339,075	124	24	2	2	—	—	—	16	11
San Francisco, Cal.	416,912	141	5	1	1	—	4	—	42	19
Washington, D. C.	331,069	79	17	2	1	—	14	—	19	6
<b>From 200,000 to 300,000 inhabitants:</b>										
Jersey City, N. J.	267,779	71	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	6
Providence, R. I.	224,326	62	24	—	1	1	3	—	9	1
Seattle, Wash.	237,194	50	1	—	1	—	3	—	18	5
<b>From 100,000 to 200,000 inhabitants:</b>										
Bridgeport, Conn.	102,054	31	1	—	1	—	6	—	3	4
Cambridge, Mass.	104,839	20	3	—	—	—	3	—	6	1
Dayton, Ohio	116,577	28	61	—	5	—	5	—	3	1
Fall River, Mass.	119,295	32	3	1	—	—	5	—	2	3
Lowell, Mass.	106,294	29	1	—	—	—	—	—	5	3
Nashville, Tenn.	110,364	30	2	—	—	—	9	—	—	5
Oakland, Cal.	150,174	50	6	1	—	—	3	—	4	4
Richmond, Va.	127,628	53	8	—	—	—	13	1	3	18
Spokane, Wash.	104,402	—	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	1
Toledo, Ohio	168,497	44	7	1	—	—	8	—	—	2
Worcester, Mass.	145,986	43	8	—	6	1	3	1	2	—

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Cities.	Population, United States census 1910.	Total deaths from all causes.	Diphtheria.		Measles.		Scarlet fever.		Tubercu- losis.	
			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
From 50,000 to 100,000 inhabitants:										
Altoona, Pa.	52,127	10	1	8			3		3	
Bayonne, N. J.	55,545	9	8	1	8				3	
Brockton, Mass.	56,878		7		1				1	
Camden, N. J.	94,538		4				2		4	
Erie, Pa.	66,525	32	11				5		2	
Evansville, Ind.	69,647	23	5							3
Harrisburg, Pa.	64,186	14	5		1					
Hartford, Conn.	98,915	23	6		1		1		7	
Hoboken, N. J.	70,324	12	2		1				8	
Johnstown, Pa.	55,482	23	9	1			1			1
Kansas City, Kans.	82,331		1				1		1	
Lawrence, Mass.	85,892		2				1		4	3
Lynn, Mass.	89,336	12	5		3				2	1
Manchester, N. H.	70,063	18	2				3		1	1
New Bedford, Mass.	96,652	35	1				3		9	7
Passaic, N. J.	54,773	15	1		4	1	1			1
Pawtucket, R. I.	51,622		2							1
Reading, Pa.	96,071	23	10	2			1		1	1
Saginaw, Mich.	50,510	8	5				1		1	
St. Joseph, Mo.	77,403	25	2	1	3		1		2	1
Schenectady, N. Y.	72,826	12	2				5		4	2
South Bend, Ind.	53,684	18	5	1			3	1		1
Springfield, Ill.	51,678	21	3				1			4
Springfield, Mass.	88,926	17			1				1	
Trenton, N. J.	96,815	31	7	2			7		5	1
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	67,105	13	2				2		2	
Yonkers, N. Y.	79,803	22	7	1	16		5		13	4
From 25,000 to 50,000 inhabitants:										
Atlantic City, N. J.	46,150	8	1							
Aurora, Ill.	29,807	7								
Austin, Tex.	29,860	8	3				1			3
Binghamton, N. Y.	48,443	21			4		2		2	1
Brookline, Mass.	27,792	8					2			
Butte, Mont.	39,165	16			1		1		2	5
Chicopee, Mass.	25,401	3								
Danville, Ill.	27,871	6	2		1		1			1
East Orange, N. J.	34,371		2	1	3				1	
Elmira, N. Y.	37,176	14								
Everett, Mass.	33,484	13					4			2
Fitchburg, Mass.	37,826	3					1			
Haverhill, Mass.	44,115				1		1		6	
Kalamazoo, Mich.	39,437	16	4							
Knoxville, Tenn.	38,346	13	1	1	3			1	1	1
La Crosse, Wis.	30,417	5								
Lancaster, Pa.	47,227		6				2		1	
Lexington, Ky.	35,099	17	3							1
Little Rock, Ark.	45,941		1						1	
Lynchburg, Va.	29,494	7	1	1			3		1	1
Malden, Mass.	44,404	18	5				4		2	1
Newport, Ky.	30,309	8			3					
Newton, Mass.	39,806	7	2				1			1
Norristown, Pa.	27,875	5	1							
Orange, N. J.	29,630	10			2		1		4	
Pasadena, Cal.	30,291	9					1		11	3
Pittsfield, Mass.	32,121	12	3				4		3	
Portsmouth, Va.	33,190	12	5				5			1
Racine, Wis.	38,002	13	1	1			5		1	
Roanoke, Va.	34,874	15	7	1			4			2
Sacramento, Cal.	44,696	11					2			1
San Diego, Cal.	39,578		1						2	
South Omaha, Nebr.	26,259	12	2				3			
Superior, Wis.	40,384	12					1			3
Taunton, Mass.	34,259	20	2		1		6			1
Waltham, Mass.	27,834	4	3				1			1
West Hoboken, N. J.	35,403								1	
Wheeling, W. Va.	41,641	8	7	1			1		1	1
Wilmington, N. C.	25,748	9	3		2		1			1
York, Pa.	44,750		1							
Zanesville, Ohio	28,026		9							

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